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#### FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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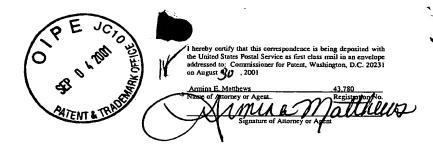
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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Attached is a supplemental declaration filed pursuant to 37 CFR §1.67(a). In a "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted" mailed by the Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) on August 23, 2001, the PTO notified Applicants' attorney that the original declaration filed with the above-identified application was unsigned. The attached supplemental declaration corrects this deficiency. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts is also attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the \$130.00 surcharge set forth in 37 CFR §1.16(e) to Deposit Account No. 16-2480. The Commissioner is also hereby authorized to charge payment of any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §§1.16 and 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any over-payment to Deposit Account No. 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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Respectfully submitted,

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